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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Lanes and Ramps Scheduled to Close This Weekend on Ventura Freeway (US Highway 101) in Los Angeles

Drivers Should Use Other Routes to Avoid Long Delays

LOS ANGELES — The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) plans to temporarily close some lanes and ramps on <u>southbound</u> U.S. Highway 101 (Ventura Freeway) in the San Fernando Valley this weekend to install pre-cast concrete slabs in a \$62 million pavement rehabilitation project.

Caltrans strongly recommends that drivers use other routes to avoid significant delay. The work will be done on southbound US-101 between White Oak Avenue and Balboa Boulevard.

The closures are expected to start tonight, Friday, April 28, and end by noon Sunday, April 30. Only southbound lanes and ramps are involved. The schedule is weather-permitting and subject to change. The following closures are scheduled:

FRIDAY NIGHT TO SATURDAY MORNING:

Lane Closures from the Tampa Blvd. on-ramp to the Balboa Blvd. off-ramp:

- From 9 p.m. Friday to 10 a.m. Saturday: #1 and #2 lanes will be closed.
- From 10 p.m. Friday to 9 a.m. Saturday: #3 lane also will be closed.
- From 12:01 a.m. Saturday to 8 a.m. Saturday: #4 lane also will be closed. ONE LANE WILL BE OPEN.

Ramp Closures - All from 8 p.m. Friday to 10 a.m. Saturday:

- Reseda Boulevard on-ramp
- White Oak Avenue on-ramp

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SATURDAY NIGHT TO SUNDAY MORNING:

Lane Closures from the Tampa Blvd. on-ramp to the Balboa Blvd. off-ramp:

- From 10 p.m. Saturday to noon Sunday: #1 and #2 lanes will be closed.
- From 11 p.m. Saturday to 11 a.m. Sunday: #3 lane also will be closed.
- From 12:01 a.m. Sunday to 9 a.m. Sunday: #4 lane also will be closed. ONE LANE WILL BE OPEN.

Ramp Closures - All from 9 p.m. Saturday to noon Sunday:

- Reseda Boulevard on-ramp
- White Oak Avenue on-ramp

Signs are posted to inform drivers about the closures, and detours are provided. Some additional ramp closures may be necessary in addition to those listed here.

The work is part of a 23-mile pavement rehabilitation project funded by the State Highway Operation and Protection Program (SHOPP). Myers and Sons Construction LP of Sacramento is the contractor on the project, which is expected to be completed this year.

Caltrans reminds drivers to "Be Work Zone Alert" and "Slow for the Cone Zone."

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